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Honorable Clarence Cannon Chairman, Committee on Appropriations House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Chairman:

We have recently completed a comprehensive review of the performance of the United States intelligence services in the six-month period leading up to and during the Cuban crisis.

I know that this is a matter of great interest to your Committee, and therefore would like to have the earliest possible opportunity to give you and the CIA Subcommittee a detailed briefing.

With very best wishes to you for the New Year and for the success of the 88th Congress.

Sincerely,

(Signed) JOHN A. MCCONE

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